COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 0524-01

Bill No.: Truly Agreed To and Finally Passed HB 69

Subject: Insurance - General; Insurance Dept.

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: May 19, 2005

FISCAL SUMMARY

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND | | | | |
|--|---------|---------|---------|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2006 | FY 2007 | FY 2008 | |
| | | | | |
| Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS | | | | |
|--|---------|---------|---------|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2006 | FY 2007 | FY 2008 | |
| | | | | |
| Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | |

Numbers within parentheses: () indicate costs or losses.

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| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS | | | | |
|--|---------|---------|---------|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2006 | FY 2007 | FY 2008 | |
| | | | | |
| Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--|
| FUND AFFECTED | FY 2006 | FY 2007 | FY 2008 | |
| Local Government | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | |

FISCAL ANALYSIS

ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Insurance** assume the proposal will have no fiscal impact on their organization.

| FISCAL IMPACT - State Government | FY 2006 (10 Mo.) | FY 2007 | FY 2008 |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------|
| | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |
| FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government | FY 2006 (10 Mo.) | FY 2007 | FY 2008 |
| | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

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DESCRIPTION

This proposal allows domestic insurers to invest their capital, reserve, and surplus in bonds; notes or other evidences of indebtedness; or preferred or guaranteed stocks or shares issued, assumed, or guaranteed by a corporation, a joint stock company, an association, a trust, a business partnership, a business joint venture, and other similar entities. These investments must carry at least the second highest designation rating by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners or a nationally recognized rating agency approved by the Department of Insurance. Life insurance company investments in corporations must also meet the requirements of Sections 375.1070 to 375.1075, RSMo, regarding outlines for investing in medium or lower quality institutions.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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